# Continuing Education for Professionals - FY2012 Movement Disorders Series Sponsored by PADRECC & EES

To provide VHA healthcare professionals with current practice standards and emerging trends in the treatment of Parkinson's Disease and other movement disorders

1 hour Conference using VANTS

# "Mood Disorders in Parkinson's Disease What's New?"



Thursday, March 8, 2012

12:00 PM -1:00 PM Eastern

or

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Eastern

**VANTS 1-800-767-1750** 

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### **Very Important! Go to VA Catalog link:**

http://vaww.sites.lrn.va.gov/vacatalog/cu\_detail.asp?id=28992

to download the attachments: PowerPoint slides, find instructions for registration/evaluation/continuing education, etc.

**Description**: The purpose of this Audio program is to give participants a thorough review and update about Mood Disorders in Parkinson's Disease (PD). PD is a progressive neurodegenerative disorder leading to decline in motor function. PD has a whole complex of non-motor symptoms including neuropsychiatric symptoms. This presentation will focus on mood and depressive disturbances in PD. This knowledge based activity is the third in a six-part series on Movement Disorders in FY2012.

#### **Outcome Objectives:**

At the conclusion of this educational program, learners will be able to:

- Describe the occurrence of depressive phenomena at different stages of Parkinson's Disease;
- Recognize the feature of depression in PD patients (and PD in depression); and
- 3. Discuss treatment strategies for patients with PD and depression.

#### Registration/Evaluation/Continuing Education:

- Pre-registration is now required through TMS.
- Online Evaluation will be available through TMS only.
- Detailed instructions found at VA Catalog link: http://vaww.sites.lrn.va.gov/vacatalog/cu\_detail.asp?id=28992

## 2012 upcoming topics PADRECC/EES Movement Disorder Series

May 10 – Pharmacy/National Formulary July 12 - Rehabilitation Issues in PD Sept 13 – Telehealth & Movement Disorders

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